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Senate Resolution 918

By: Senator Harbison of the 15th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Coach Herbert Greene; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Coach Herbert Greene is widely recognized throughout the state as the
- 3 personification of excellence in athletics; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he has been the basketball coach at Columbus State University for more than
- 5 25 years and the athletic director for more than 20, demonstrating seemingly endless
- 6 enthusiasm and energy while succeeding in two jobs that both demand full-time attention;
- 7 and
- 8 WHEREAS, Coach Herbert Greene has reached the elite plateau of 500 career wins; and
- 9 WHEREAS, as the eighth-winningest active coach in the NCAA Division II, Coach Herbert
- 10 Greene serves as an instrument of inspiration and enthusiasm to his players; creates a positive
- 11 learning environment by encouraging competitive instincts; and instills the values and
- 12 positive characteristics of hard work, dedication, and integrity; and
- WHEREAS, he is a shining example of the important impact that the efforts of individual
- 14 coaches and athletic directors make on the quality of athletic training received by the young
- 15 people of this state, and it is abundantly fitting and proper that his superlative
- 16 accomplishments be recognized appropriately.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 18 heartily and gratefully commend Coach Herbert Greene for his years of sacrifice, foresight,
- 19 accomplishment, and contributions on behalf of athletics in Georgia and for the positive
- 20 influence he has had upon the lives and futures of countless young people in this state.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed

2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Coach Herbert Greene.